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PATENT APPLICATION

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In re the Application of:

TANAKA, et al.

Application No.: 09/872,156

Filed: June 4, 2001.

Attorney Dkt. No.: 107380-00005

For: NEW IMAGING AGENTS, PRECURSORS THEREOF AND METHODS OF
MANUFACTURE

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

September 4, 2001

ATTN - BOX MISSING PARTS

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated August 3, 2001

(copy attached), the following are enclosed:

☒ \$1262.00 as payment of the surcharge for the Notice to File Missing Parts;

☒ Originally-executed Declaration/Power of Attorney;

Applicants(s) are also enclosing the following:

☒ An Information Disclosure Statement with Form PTO-1449, 3 refs;


☒ Originally executed Assignments with Form PTO-1595; and

☒ \$40.00 as payment for the recordation of the Assignment.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to acknowledge that all of the requirements of 35 U.S.C. §111 have been met.

Please charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account
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Respectfully submitted,


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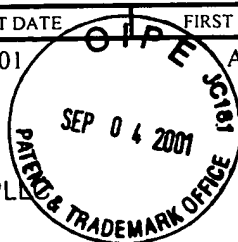
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$422.
 - \$342 for 19 total claims over 20.
 - \$80 for 1 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 1262.**

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- An abstract was not provided for this application. An abstract of the technical disclosure is required under 37 CFR 1.72(b).

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04 FC:105	130.00 OP

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